

JANUARY 15, 1868.

For Sale.

FOR SALE  
GLAZED  
200 boxes 1801, Chas.  
UX, 1  
d'Yean  
200 boxes 1862, Chas.  
Levillé  
200 boxes 1861, Chas.  
Margaux  
MELCHERS & Co.  
December 17, 1867.

FOR SALE  
Lique BU TER, in tins of  
4, and by the pound.  
ORNIAN CHEESE ANCHO.

ERKS, RODATZ & Co.  
December 24, 1867.

EAM COALS,  
ore, or deliverable on Board  
Londonderry West Hartley  
West Hartley, Straker's  
ware Martyn,  
ROE S. WALKER & Co.  
March 16, 1868.

MENIER in every  
form, at  
URIA DISPENSARY.  
December 16, 1867. 103

FOR SALE  
M. & Co.'S CHAMPAGNE  
H. HOCK & MOSELLE.

SHERRY and PORT,  
IN WHISKEY,  
BRANDY,  
draught and bottle,  
STOUT,  
PORTER,  
B. S. WALKER & Co.,  
November 24, 1867.

FOR SALE  
Point FOUNDRY & MACHINERY  
COPPER, 30 by 60

ACUM GAUGES,  
SES, all sizes.  
RS.

LE IRON of sizes.  
THOMAS COOK, BOILER,  
ATES.

ENTRELEGAL PUMPS,  
Duck purposes,  
ILLINGWORTH & Co.,  
November 6, 1867.

ex Mail Steamer, the  
ARTICLES suitable for  
AS PRESENTS, &c.

Perfume DISPENSER,  
FLOWERS,  
ET.

FUME,  
BOTTLES and PERFUME.  
New PARFUMS.

ing.  
Scent CASE.

LES in Leather, Tortoise  
Skin Cases.  
TAINS.

CRACKERS.  
NOVELTIES of the

STORIA DISPENSARY.  
December 16, 1867. 31a

FOR SALE,  
known as ALMAZ PLATE  
range of Eighty-three feet  
and GAGE Streets, and of  
Twenty-nine feet on Akbar  
comprising a superficial area  
square feet. Annual Ground

particulars apply to  
L. LIVINGSTON & Co.  
January 24, 1868.

FOR SALE,  
of Superior Old FORT  
Cv. Sheldman, Oporto.  
DEJA.  
AGNE COGNAC.  
for Hungarian WINES.  
W.M. PUSTA & Co.  
August 6, 1867.

FOR SALE,  
TAL, 13 to 28 oz. Minis.  
JOHN BURD & Co.  
Dec. 5, 1868.

FOR SALE,  
Adolphe Collin and  
& Co.'s Association Vins.  
Chateau Margaux.  
ot Bages.  
Espagne Duroc.  
Jenney's and Martel's in  
RTER in bottle,  
ts in kegs.  
Also,  
Iron COLUMNS, Yellow  
with NAILS.

CLAS LAPRAK & Co.  
December 11, 1867.

FOR SALE,  
x METAL, 20/28 oz. 9d.

HOLIDAY, WISE & Co.  
Dec. 14, 1867.

FOR SALE,  
the private  
CHEESE.  
DO.

THE BUTTER,  
Hamburg Mess POW.  
HAMS, at  
T. ATKINSON & Co.,  
ember 20, 1867.

FOR SALE,  
PROPERTY on Queen  
occupied by Meda  
& Co.  
particulars, apply to  
TH. ARCHER & Co.,  
ember 2, 1867.

ANDY in 1 doz. cases.  
ERRY, 8  
RT, 2  
ARET, 1  
BIRLEY, 4/6.  
u. 9. 1867.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.  
H. MATHERS begs to express his  
thanks to the Subscribers to the  
Fund lately collected for the purpose of  
destroying the Expenses of his defence against  
the recent unjust charge of manslaughter,  
upon which he was honourably acquitted  
at a trial at the last Sessions.

Hongkong, January 14, 1868.

# CHINA

THE



# MAIL.

PUBLISHED EVERY EVENING, AND WITH WHICH IS INCORPORATED THE "HONGKONG EVENING MAIL AND SHIPPING LIST."

VOL. XXIV. No. 1441.

流六月正年八十六百八一英 HONGKONG, THURSDAY, JANUARY 16TH, 1868. 日二月二十一年卯丁治同 PRICE, \$24 PER ANNUM.

AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

LONDON.—F. ALAR, 11, Clement's Lane,  
Lombard Street, George Street, 30,  
Cornhill, GORDON & GOTCH, 121, Hol-  
born Hill, E.C.

AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW  
ZEALAND.—GORDON & GOTCH, Mel-  
bourne and Sydney.

SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports  
generally.—WHITE & BAER, San  
Francisco.

CHINA.—Swinton, DROWN & Co., Amoy,  
Giles & Co., Foochow, Thompson &  
Co., Shanghai, H. Fogg & Co., Ma-  
laka, C. KIMUTH & Co.



OFFICIAL NOTIFICATIONS.

It is hereby notified that, until further  
orders, the *China Mail* and *Overland China  
Mail* will be the official medium of all  
Notifications proceeding from Her Britannic  
Majesty's Consulate at Canton.

British Consulate, Canton, April 10, 1860.

D. B. ROBERTSON, Consul.

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orders, the *China Mail* and *Overland China  
Mail* will be the official medium of all  
Notifications proceeding from Her Britannic  
Majesty's Consulate at Amoy.

British Consulate, Amoy, April 22, 1866.

R. SWINHOR, Consul.

PER MAIL STEAMER  
Suitable for Christmas Presents.

SPLENDID ASSORTMENT of  
Meerschaum PIPES, with and  
without Cherrywood Stems.

Cigar HOLDERS.

ALBUMS.

Real Havana CIGARS,  
etc., etc., etc.

BIELFIELD and ZACHARIAE.

Hongkong, December 20, 1867.

U. L. VOLKMANN,  
Private Boarding Establishment.

29, HOLLYWOOD ROAD,

HONGKONG.

Hongkong, January 7, 1868.

KOHLER'S  
GRAND EXHIBITION OF ILLUMI-  
NATED PAINTINGS

AND  
INSTRUMENTAL CONCERT PARTY,

FROM Australia, and now playing with  
extraordinary success in Manila, will  
shortly visit Hongkong.

HONGKONG, January 3, 1868.

JOHN BRYAN,  
Manager.

FOR SALE.

150 CASES Martinez' Aromatic BIT-

TERS, superior quality.

100 cases SHERRY.

100 " PORT.

MULLER & CLAUSEN.

Hongkong, January 13, 1868.

FOR SALE.

PHOTOGRAPHIC APPARATUS, com-  
plete.

MULLER & CLAUSEN.

Hongkong, January 13, 1868.

PER MAIL STEAMER

CO NUTS and FILBERTS.

Handsomely bound BOOKS,

suitable for Christmas and New  
Year Gifts.

Also,

Per every Mail.

Prime Cheshire CHEESE in cut  
to suit Purchasers.

YORK HAMS.

Hongkong, December 17, 1867. 17a

NOTICE.

UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONG-

KONG AND WHAMPOA,  
(LIMITED)

STREAM TUG "LITTLE ORPHAN."

THIS Powerful TUG is available at any

moment to Berth Vessels in this Har-

bor, or to Tow them to or from Sea.

For Particulars, apply at the Company's

Office, Paddie's Wharf, Praya, Hongkong,

or to the Captain on Board.

J. B. ENDICOTT,  
Secretary.

Hongkong, October 12, 1866.

Saturday Evening,  
JANUARY 18th, 1868.

Price reduced to Two Dollars.

The Management beg to announce that

in accordance with the suggestions of a

number of citizens and to suit the views of a

all, they have decided upon reducing the

prices to Two Dollars during their short

stay in Hongkong.

PRICES OF ADVERTISEMENTS.

Box to hold six Persons, \$12

Stage Box to hold four Persons, \$8

Single Tickets, \$2

Tickets may be had at Messrs Lane,  
Crawford & Co.'s, where a plan of the

Theatre may be seen, and Seats reserved.

Also at the Hotel de Europe and at the

Theatre Door on the night of Performance.

Doors open at 8.30, to commence at 9

pm, precisely.

Mr MAURICE DE SOLLA.

Business Manager.

Mr EDWARD W. LEWIS.

Hongkong, January 16, 1868. 18a

STE. M. TO

SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW.

THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

"FORMOSA,"

will leave for the above places at 8 A.M., on

SUNDAY, the 19th instant.

W. MACAULAY,  
Acting Superintendent.

Hongkong, January 10, 1868. 19a

"GREENHAM" front LONDON.

CONSIGNEES of O. M. B., 1 case Mer-

chandise, are hereby informed that

the same has been landed and stored in the

godown of the Undersigned at Consignee's

risk and expense.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Hongkong, January 16, 1868.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

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thanks to the Subscribers to the

Fund lately collected for the purpose of

destroying the Expenses of his defence against

the recent unjust charge of manslaughter,

upon which he was honourably acquitted

at a trial at the last Sessions.

Hongkong, January 14, 1868.

New Advertisements.

A. MILLAR,  
PLUMBER, COFFEMAKER AND BRASS  
FOUNDER.

No. 1, Queen's Road East.

SHEET Copper,  
Copper Pipe, Assorted sizes and thick-  
nesses.

Sheet Brass,  
Brass Pipe.

Brazing Solder.

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## Notices to Consignees.

MESSAGERIES IMPERIALES CO.  
NOTICE.  
THE following cases have been landed and stored at the risk and expense of the Consignees, who are requested to take immediate delivery:  
Ex. Alpha, 7th September  
H. M. & Co., 1 case Sundries.  
Ex. Tigre, 5th December  
C. BERTRAND,  
Principal Agent.  
Hongkong, December 19, 1867.

NOTICE.  
CONSIGNEES of cargo per Company's steamship "DONNA," are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for counter-signature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods before the 7th instant, or they will be landed and stored at their risk and expense.  
C. BERTRAND, Principal Agent.  
Hongkong, January 6, 1868.

## Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.  
WE have authorized Mr. CRAVEN BUDGE to sign our Firm from this date.  
DRUYER & Co.,  
Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

NOTICE.  
NOTICE is hereby given that the Interest and Responsibility of the late Mr. C. JAMISON in our Firm ceased on the 30th September last.

The Business will in future be carried on by Mr. Z. HARTON under the Name or Style of JAMISON & HARTON, as heretofore.  
JAMISON & HARTON,  
Hongkong, January 2, 1868.

NOTICE.  
AS my Engagement ceases in May next, all outstanding Accounts for the past Two Years must be sent in immediately for payment.  
MARY HASTELLOW RANDLE,  
Superintendent,  
Diocesan School,  
Hongkong, January 2, 1868. 16m

M. R. THOMAS PYKE has this day been admitted a Partner in our Firm.  
BIRLEY & Co.,  
Hongkong, January 2, 1868.

NOTICE.  
HE Business of the Undersigned will be carried on at Pedder's Hill, Mr. EDMUND R. HOLMES having retired from the same.  
GEO. HOLMES,  
Ship and General Broker,  
Hongkong, January 2, 1868.

NOTICE.  
NOTICE is hereby given that the Interest and Responsibility of Mr. G. FALCONER in our Firm ceased on the 1st January, 1868.  
W. C. VAN OORDT in our Firm ceased on the 1st January, 1868.  
EDWARD MARCAL, JR.  
Fochow, November 16, 1867. 20fe

NOTICE.  
I HAVE established myself as a General Commission Merchant under the style or firm of VAN OORDT & Co.  
(Sd) W. C. VAN OORDT,  
Kokkams, October 24, 1867. 14

NOTICE.  
I HAVE established myself at this port as a General Commission Merchant under the style or firm of GIFFORD F. PARKER & Co.  
GIFFORD FORBES PARKER,  
Saigon, December 20, 1867.

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I HAVE established myself at this port as a General Commission Merchant under the style or firm of BOYD & Co.  
BOYD & Co.,  
Amoy, January 1, 1868. 1ap

NOTICE.  
I HE Promises situated in Queen's Road, Stanley Street, and at present occupied by Messrs H. M. MARSH & Co.  
For particulars apply to  
LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.  
Hongkong, 5th September, 1867.

TO BE LET.  
I TWO New and Strong GODOWNS on Marine Lot No. 63.  
Apply to  
GAVIN THOMPSON,  
at Gibb, LIVINGSTON & Co.'s  
Hongkong, December 16, 1867. 20ta

NOTICE.  
MR RYLE HOLME has been admitted a partner in our Firm.  
GLOVER & Co.,  
Nagasaki, January 1, 1868.

NOTICE.

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. A. D. MITCHELL in our Firm, ceased on the 31st day of December, 1867.

A. FERGUSON & Co.,  
Hongkong, January 3, 1868.

NOTICE.

FROM and after this date Mr. GEORGE E. HOWMAN will act as AGENT of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company at this Port.

S. L. PHELPS,  
Agent.  
Hongkong, August 15, 1867.

NOTICE.  
THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. MIRABLY DURHAMSBYHOY, in our Firm ceased on the 16th instant, and the said Firm will be continued under the style of SHERIFF & Co., in Bombay, instead of VALLY MAHOMED ALLOOBHOY as heretofore.

SHERIFF & Co.,  
Hongkong, December 31, 1867. 31ja

NOTICE.  
MY Business, as Ship and Insurance Broker, Commission Agent, &c. hitherto carried on by myself, will henceforward be conducted under the style of Firm of J. S. HOOK, Son & Co.  
J. S. HOOK,  
Hongkong, September 23, 1867.

NOTICE.  
I HAVE this day commenced Business as Ship Broker.  
S. L. HEINEMANN,  
Hongkong, January 2, 1868. 5fe

NOTICE.

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. A. FERGUSON in our Firm ceased on the 1st day of November, 1866.

A. FERGUSON & Co.,  
Hongkong, December 16, 1867. de-16-68

NOTICE.  
I HAVE this day established myself, as PUBLIC TEA INSPECTOR and GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT, at this Port, under the style and firm of GUNDYR & Co.  
ALFRED A. GUNDYR.  
Shanghai, June 1, 1865.

## Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.  
FROM and after this date, Captain J. C. SAUNDERS will undertake the business of my Marine Surveying at this port.  
H. J. DRING,  
Marine Surveyor.  
Fochow, August 1, 1867.

NOTICE.  
WITH reference to the above, the business hitherto carried on by H. J. DRING, Esq. at Fochow will be conducted by the Undersigned.  
J. C. SAUNDERS,  
Chap. Min.,  
Pagoda Anchorage.  
Fochow.

Fochow, August 1, 1867.

NOTICE.

THE Partnership hitherto existing between DORINDO DO ROZARIO, ALEXANDRE MARCAL, JR. and ANTONIO DOS SANTOS in the Printing Office at Fochow, was dissolved on the 12th November, 1867.

ROZARIO & Co.

Fochow, November 16, 1867.

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Agent.  
Hongkong, August 15, 1867.

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A. FERGUSON & Co.,  
Hongkong, December 16, 1867. de-16-68

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ALFRED A. GUNDYR.  
Shanghai, June 1, 1865.

## Houses and Lands.

TO LET.  
TWO HOUSES on Carlton Terrace, Spring Gardens, with or without Grounds, rent moderate.  
Apply to  
LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.  
Hongkong, 5th September, 1867.

TO LET.  
A BRICK and Stone Built GODOWN at Wanchai, capable of containing about 10,000 piculs.  
Apply to  
OLYPHANT & Co.  
Hongkong, October 3, 1867.

TO LET.  
NO. 1, PECHILI TERRACE, Elgin Street.  
Apply to  
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.  
Hongkong, May 24, 1867.

TO LET.  
FURNISHED or unfurnished OFFICES in BANK BUILDINGS, immediately opposite the Hotel Company's Premises.  
Also

Couch HOUSE and STABLES for 5 Horses, situated on the Robinson Road; Water and Gas laid on, with the use of an Enclosed Grazing Paddock adjoining.  
For further particulars, apply to  
MR. EDMUND SHARP,  
Solicitor.  
Hongkong, August 20, 1867.

TO LET.  
THE extensive and eligible PREMISES, Corner of Hollywood Road and Shelley Street, lately in the occupation of H. M. Government.  
Apply to  
DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.  
Hongkong, September 3, 1867.

TO LET.  
A LARGE ROOM fronting the Queen's Road, suitable for either an Office or a Shop.  
Apply at the MEDICAL HALL, Queen's Road.  
Hongkong, September 20, 1867.

TO BE LET.  
THE OFFICE and GODOWN situated at the corner of Wellington and Aberdeen Streets, and at present in the occupation of Messrs ELMENHORST & SANDERS.  
For particulars, apply to  
GIBR. LIVINGSTON & Co.  
Hongkong, March 6, 1866.

TO LET.  
A SHOP, situated in the best part of the Queen's Road, with Show Cases and Fittings complete.  
N.B.—Two First Floor Rooms can be had with above, if required.  
Address "Z," care of Hongkong Directory.  
Hongkong, November 28, 1867.

TO LET.  
THE OFFICE and GODOWN situated at the corner of Wellington and Aberdeen Streets, and at present in the occupation of Messrs ELMENHORST & SANDERS.  
For particulars, apply to  
GIBR. LIVINGSTON & Co.  
Hongkong, December 28, 1867.

TO LET.  
A SMALL ROOM, situated in Queen's Road, Stanley Street, and at present occupied by Messrs H. M. MARSH & Co.  
For particulars apply to  
LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.  
Hongkong, 5th September, 1867.

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at Gibb, LIVINGSTON & Co.'s  
Hongkong, December 16, 1867. 20ta

TO LET.  
I TWO or three Rooms, suitable for Offices, or otherwise, facing the Praya, West.  
Apply to  
J. S. HOOK SON & Co.  
Hongkong, September 3, 1867.

TO LET.  
THE whole or part of a HOUSE situated in Queen's Road Central.  
For particulars, apply to  
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.  
Hongkong, January 28, 1867.

TO LET.  
I HE Underwritten will undertake to land Cotton, Rice, Coconuts, and other Merchandise, in their own Ports, and to receive the same on STORAGE in First-class Granite godowns, of Moderate Terms.  
ROB. S. WALKER & Co.,  
Hongkong, March 4, 1866.

TO BE LET.  
I FURNISHED or Unfurnished.  
I HE Dwelling HOUSE in the Albany at present occupied by Mr. N. R. MASSON. Occupation can be had in a few weeks. Application can be made to Mr. MASSON at the Albany.  
Hongkong, September 25, 1867.

TO LET.  
I HE FIRST FLOOR of the House No. 94, Queen's Road Central, corner of Graham Street, consisting of three spacious rooms, Verandah and Outhouse, well adapted for Offices.  
Apply to  
W. SCHMIDT & Co., Gunmakers.  
Hongkong, October 2, 1867.

TO LET.  
A N OFFICE with Godown, and Comptredore's Room.  
Apply to  
MELCHERS & Co.  
Hongkong, October 1, 1866.

TO LET.  
I HE PREMISES situated at Fodder's Wharf, lately occupied by Messrs AUGUSTINE HARD & Co. Possession can be taken on the 1st of January 1868.  
For further particulars, apply to  
THOS. HUNT & Co., Queen's Road.  
Hongkong, December 30, 1867. tf

TO LET.  
I HAVE this day established myself, as PUBLIC TEA INSPECTOR and GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT, at this Port, under the style and firm of GUNDYR & Co.  
ALFRED A. GUNDYR.  
Shanghai, June 1, 1865.

NOTICE.  
I HAVE this day established myself, as COMMISSION MERCHANT, at this Port, under the name by the Undersigned.  
A. D. MITCHELL,  
J. D. MEYERS, and  
HENRY FEHRIS.  
Hongkong, December 16, 1867. de-16-68

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Shanghai, June 1, 1865.

## New Advertisements.

RECEIVED EX MAIL STEAMER AND SHIP "EUGENE & ADELE"  
Direct from Marseilles.  
A LARGE and varied assortment of French BONBONS in bottles, suitable for Christmas Presents.

CHAMPAGNE.  
CLARETS.

Breakfast CLARETS.  
Desert CLARETS.  
SAUTERNE.  
VERMOUTH.  
ABSINTHE.  
SHEARY.  
BRANDY.  
French PRESERVES.

## NOTIFICATIONS.

MOY & FOOCHEW,  
" on Sunday next,  
at 7.30 A.M.  
BENJAMINS."  
"BENJAMINS" will be  
in the usual Mails for  
on SATURDAY, the  
and the Post Office  
the reception of Ord-  
Letters for Registration,  
etc., until 11 A.M.

Letters, &c., will be  
added to the usual  
addition fee of 18 cents for  
two cents for each  
book or Packet of Pat-  
entes, time for posting  
Office is 1 P.M., and for  
books or Patterns, Noon  
hour.

(but Letters only) ad-  
United Kingdom's  
to Singapore, maybe  
the Packet from 1.30  
in payment of a late fee  
in, addition to the  
which he better can be  
ing the correspondence  
will be received at the  
art for the purpose, or  
the building.

for places to which  
postage must be prepaid  
Postage Stamps.

Letters addressed to  
England will be sent on  
use of One Shilling in  
postage.

11 A.M. will not be for  
the Late Fees as well as  
prepaid.

stamped or unstamped  
to, which they can-  
not be paid, will be open-  
to the writers as early  
no guarantee can be  
Letters, if posted on the  
Packet's departure  
it until after the mail is

placed on the corre-  
in cases where they  
"Lata Fee,"  
or Stamps represented  
should be placed on the  
corner.

actional parts of a Doc-  
ument in the China pre-  
mises, 1, of 1864, and  
of the 22nd January,  
other China, but those  
will either be received

age as fractional parts

Stamps must be made  
Dollars of the Colony or

F. W. MITCHELL,  
Postmaster General,  
July 16, 1868. 11a

DESPATCH.—Per  
and Foochow.—Per  
the 19th inst. at 8 A.M.

the P. & O. S. N. Co.'s  
from Shanghai —

STLX  
Balances, Cases,  
1,419 7  
13  
194 —  
8 —  
1,634 7  
900 —  
\$118,882  
4,300 —  
9,130 —  
\$181,812

ship Great Republic  
at Rice  
Opium.  
Tea.  
Sundries.

Rice Goods.  
Cannets.  
Sundries.

Bulk.  
Sundries.

ship China.

Great Republic. First  
co.—Messrs W. Deger,  
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Barometer,	60	64
Attached Thermometer,	60.0	65.0
Dry Bulb,	55.0	60.0
Wet Bulb,	54.0	68.0
Maximum S. Rgt.,	—	103
Minimum S. Rgt.,	—	103
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Wind,	N.E. N.E.	N.E. N.E.
Force,	3	2
Cloud,	1	0
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## MARRIAGE.

January 16, at St. John's Cathedral, by  
the Lord Bishop of Victoria, assisted by  
the Rev. W. R. Beach, M. A., Colonial  
Chaplain, Edward Whibley, Esq., to Isabella  
Glencairn, eldest daughter of John of  
T. Wilson, Esq., Commander of the Fort

In my "Notes on China," published in  
your paper, I advocated the acquisition of  
Woosung several months ago. I am pleased  
to see that in your desire for the welfare  
of the country, and appreciating the future  
greatness of San Francisco, you second my  
views; and now, through you, I call on the  
merchants of this city to take immediate  
action, and by their influence on Congress,  
shortly to reassemble, to secure this most  
important "foothold" in China.

We have a representative there now, the  
Hon. Anson Burlingame, who, I know from  
my own experience, can effect more with the  
Chinese Government than any other foreign  
representative and who would most ably and  
effectually carry out the wishes and interests  
of the country as conveyed to him. Yours,  
respectfully,

JAMES L. KIRKMAN, U. S. Consul.

We must take the liberty of doubting  
general Kirkman's assertion as to Mr  
Burlingame's power with the Chinese  
Government. On the contrary, we can  
positively state that, individually, the  
American Minister was able to effect less  
without the aid of his colleagues than the  
ministers of either England, France  
or Russia. That he accomplished what  
he did was chiefly due to his sincere  
cordiality, as regarded British interests,  
assured him of the British representative's  
support in most questions, and that in  
those which did not concern us he was at  
liberty to act as he saw fit having no  
opposition to dread on the part of his  
colleagues who were not ill pleased at his  
attempting the onus of inducing fresh  
concessions. It was far different from the  
other Treaty powers whose arms hitherto  
have been so dependent upon their mutual  
interests that the act of one affected all.  
That the British minister is the chief,  
if not only, supporter of the new  
mission is significant, and we may add  
that we are confidently assured that the  
matter was under discussion at the British  
Legation before Mr. Burlingame even  
received the offer he has accepted.

In another column we give what pur-  
ports to be a true version of the scandal,  
with which the Queen's name has been  
so wantonly associated. We are not  
acquainted with the mysteries of the  
royal domestic manage, but we suspect  
that Her Majesty really does prefer  
"settlements" to territorial acquisition  
shall be made by any one of them. That  
France has long desired to free herself  
from this well understood, if unwritten  
agreement is no secret; it remains to be  
seen whether the United States will also  
pronounce against the present line of  
policy, which hitherto, as regards  
France at all events, has maintained  
solely by the uncompromising attitude  
assumed by Great Britain. During Mr.  
Wade's tenure of office as Charge d'  
Affaires, he more than once positively  
instructed Consular officers, that the  
word "concession" as applied to the  
ground occupied by British residents, was  
not to be used. French officials still use  
the words "Concession Francaise" and  
have thus maintained a silent protest  
against the views of Great Britain, al-  
though it has hitherto understood  
that the French Government has acceded  
to our express desire to avoid the  
assumption of direct Imperial authority  
over the land occupied by its subjects,  
and the monetary and political of attaining any such  
end. One thing is certain—that if the  
"acquisition" of Woosung by the United  
States becomes an accomplished fact  
France will immediately follow suit, and  
Great Britain must then, in self-defence,  
assume a responsibility from which she  
now shrinks. We cannot say that we  
regret the prospect thus opened up, as we  
see in a British "protectorate" of various  
points upon the coast the best means of  
eventually benefiting the empire. But we  
cannot but urge upon the British  
government the desirability of coming to  
some clear understanding upon the matter  
with other Treaty powers, or it will  
find itself ignominiously "left out in the  
cold" as regards any negotiations which  
may take place, and the time has passed  
when a "protest" from Great Britain  
carried the weight of something more  
than a mere expression of opinion.

The following is the letter to which we  
refer. The Italics are ours. It is  
dated January 16, 1868, and was  
written by Mr. Deacon, who had  
been again seconded in his  
position by Mr. Hitchcock.

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than to run them on that line, as even  
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able to get a steamer to lay idle  
for two months, and was advised  
to pay the sum of \$26,000 for the  
steamers to lay idle for two months,  
and to pay the sum of \$12,000 for the  
steamers to lay idle for half a year.  
The Chairman proposed the adoption of  
the Report as amended; which, having  
been again seconded in his position by  
Mr. Deacon, was carried.

Mr. Deacon observed that only the three  
running steamers were insured:

The motion was carried unanimously.

Mr. Cook asked what arrangement existed  
as to the payment of the debt, and if any  
sum was fixed for payment one time.

Mr. Hitchcock replied that the sum was  
fixed; but that it was arranged by the  
Directors some time ago to pay off as  
much as could be spared from the monthly  
receipts.

Mr. Deacon said he thought, as the Bank  
charged higher interest than they gave, it  
would be paid off as soon as possible.

Mr. Deacon proposed that the auditors  
should receive \$125 each, and that Mr.  
Hart should be appointed an auditor in  
the room where the Prince Consort died.

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## Post-Office Notifications.

**MAILS** will close—  
For SPORE, P'NANG & C'UTTA.—  
Per "REIVER," on Wednesday next,  
the 22nd instant, at Noon.

IT is hereby notified for general information, that from and after this date, all Letters sent to this Office for transmission by the French Mail Packets running between Hongkong and Shanghai, to places other than Shanghai and Yokohama, must be prepaid.

F. W. MITCHELL,  
Post Master General.  
General Post Office,  
Hongkong, July 8, 1867.

IT is hereby notified that henceforward correspondence addressed to Portugal may be forwarded via Marseilles in the Mail, by both the French and English Packets at the following rates of postage, viz.: For a letter under 4 oz in weight, 20 cents; above 4 and not exceeding 1 oz, 40 cents; above 4 and not exceeding 2 oz, 60 cents; for every additional 1 ounce, 20 cents. Prepayment of the postage on Letters is optional, the postage on Newspapers and other Printed Papers cannot be prepaid here. Letters may be registered, provided double the ordinary postage be paid in advance.

J. SIMPSON,  
Assistant Postmaster General.  
General Post Office,  
Hongkong, July 8, 1867.

IT is hereby notified that, under the provisions of a Treasury Warrant which will come into operation on the 1st January next, the postage (British and Foreign combined) upon Letters not exceeding 4 oz. in weight, posted in the United Kingdom, addressed to Officers in the Army serving in the Colonies, or sent by Officers in the Army serving in the Colonies to the United Kingdom, will be reduced to Six Pence, and therefore on and after the date named, upon all Letters of this description addressed to the United Kingdom which may be posted at this Office, the reduced rate of Six Pence per oz. will be levied, according to the usual scale: provided that the following conditions be complied with, viz.; that the signature of the Officer sending the Letter be superscribed thereon, together with the signature of the Commanding Officer of the Regiment, Corps or Detachment in which such Officer is serving, or the signature of the head of the Department to which such Officer belongs.

All Letters which may be forwarded under the regulations of this Warrant will be subject, in addition, to the payment of any forward postage which may be chargeable thereon.

Officers' Letters, therefore, which may be sent from Hongkong to the United Kingdom via Marseilles will be subject, in addition, to the French transit rate of 42 francs, or, for example, the rate of postage will be

FOR A LETTER,  
Via Southampton.  
Under 4 ounces,..... 12 cents.  
Above 4 ounces and not exceeding 1 ounce,..... 24  
Above 1 ounce and not exceeding 1½ ounces,..... 36  
Above 1½ ounce and not exceeding 2 ounces,..... 48  
For every additional ½ ounce,..... 12  
Via Marseilles.

Under 4 ounces,..... 20 cents.  
Above 4 ounces and not exceeding 1 ounce,..... 40  
Above 1 ounce and not exceeding 1½ ounces,..... 60  
Above 1½ ounce and not exceeding 2 ounces,..... 80  
For every additional ½ ounce,..... 20  
Letters which may be posted unpaid or insufficiently paid will be liable to the defendant postage, together with a further rate of Six Pence.

F. W. MITCHELL,  
Postmaster General.  
General Post Office,  
Hongkong, December 16, 1867.

IT is hereby notified for general information, that in future the postage upon Newspapers forwarded from Hongkong to the undermentioned places through the United Kingdom will be charged at the following reduced rates, viz.—

FOR A NEWSPAPER NOT EXCEEDING 4 OZS. IN WEIGHT.

Addressed to	Via Southampton	Via Marseilles
Bolivia, Ecuador, Peru, Chile,....	Cents 6	Cents 8

F. W. MITCHELL,  
Postmaster General.  
General Post Office,  
Hongkong, October 8, 1867.

## Intimations.

NOTICE.—  
THE OFFICES of Messrs AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. have this day been removed to their old Premises adjoining the Cathedral.

Hongkong, December 28, 1867.

NOTICE.—  
THE Ship-chandler BUSINESS of the Undersigned has been temporarily removed to Scott's Lane, No. 33.

EDWARD SMITH, RODATZ & Co.  
Hongkong, December 9, 1867.

NOTICE.—  
THE Office of the Undersigned in removed to the Premises formerly occupied by Messrs SMITH, KENNEDY & Co., Queen's Road.

EDWARD SCHELLHAAS & Co.  
Hongkong, November 30, 1867.

REMOVAL.—  
THE Undersigned have this day removed their STORE from Praya East to the PREMISES No. 13, QUEEN'S ROAD Central, formerly occupied by the CENTRAL BANK OF WESTERN INDIA.

MAEWEW & Co.  
Hongkong, 6th December, 1867.

FRENCH! THE Advertiser, a PARISIAN, is desirous of giving some French Lessons on moderate terms. Address X. X., care of Office of this Paper.

Hongkong, September 25, 1867.

THE OFFICE of the Undersigned is REMOVED to GAGE Street, Corner of Lyndhurst Terrace.

REYNVAAN BROTHERS & Co.  
Hongkong, January 2, 1868.

## Intimations.

OFFICIAL NOTIFICATION  
BRITISH CONSULATE,  
CANTON, June 6th, 1867.

THE Undersigned hereby gives notice that in consequence of the disease of Mr. E. L. LANE, lately British Consular Agent at Macao, the functions of the British Consular Agency at that Port will be temporarily discharged by Mr. FIO MANQUES, subject to and pending the sanction of Her Britannic Majesty's Minister at Peking, and of H. M. Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs.

The Office of the British Consular Agency is for the present established at No. 23, Rue da Feitoria at Macao.

D. B. ROBERTSON,  
Consul.  
Hongkong, June 8, 1867.

THE UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG & WHAMPA, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

ENDERS are invited for the BUILDING of a Granite DOCK on the Grounds of the Company at Kowloon, of the following dimensions, viz.—

150 feet Long,  
12 " Deep,  
30 " Wide on Bottom.

For particular, apply to  
J. B. ENDICOTT,  
Secretary.  
Hongkong, December 13, 1867.

NOTICE.  
UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON.

M R. N. J. EDE having resigned the Acting Secretaryship of the Union Insurance Society of Canton, Mr. C. D. WILLIAMS is thid day appointed Secretary, and is authorized to sign Policies of Insurance on behalf of the Society. The offices of the company are now those lately occupied by

MESSRS LYALL, STILL & CO.  
(Signed) W. KESWICK,  
Chairman of the Committee.  
Hongkong, July 4, 1867.

NOTICE.  
SUPREME COURT & CONSULAR GAZETTE,

AND LAW REPORTER FOR THE SUPREME AND PROVINCIAL COURTS OF CHINA AND JAPAN.

THE Gazette is a Weekly Newspaper, containing Officially Reprinted Reports of Cases heard at the Supreme and Consular Courts, Police Cases, and Proceedings in Bankruptcy; Original Articles; Notes and Queries on Legal points; Reports of Public Meetings; News of the Week, Commercial Summary, &c. &c.

Advertisements will be charged Tha. 1 per 10 lines, for the first insertion, and 60 cents. per 10 lines, for each subsequent insertion.

Shanghai, January, 1867.

Published weekly.—Subscription (Exclusive of postage) Tha. 12 per annum; payable in advance.

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Hongkong, February 1, 1867.

A T the request of the Undersigned, A Messrs GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., have taken temporary charge of the following Insurance Companies:—

Phoenix Assurance Company.

London and Provincial Marine Insurance Company.

Universal Marine Insurance Company Limited.

SMITH, KENNEDY & Co., Agents.  
Hongkong, July 2, 1867.

HONGKONG & CHINA GAS CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Dividend at the rate of 6 per cent. declared in accordance with a resolution passed at the Annual General Meeting of Shareholders held at the Head Office, London, on the 5th September last, will be payable at the office of the Company, West Point, on and after the 30th November instant.

A Soda FOUNTAIN with the latest

Central Drink (for testcallers) continually

in play. While the Undersigned will be a

guarante for the quality of the stronger

drinks supplied, having brought out a choice

assortment of WINES and SPIRITS from

England.

EDWARD PARKER,  
Late Albion

Hongkong, May 20, 1867.

SECOND TO NO ARTIST IN THE FAR EAST.

W. M. P. MOORE,  
HAIR DRESSER,  
On the Corner of Queen's Road and Peel Street,  
Upstairs.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned beg to inform Masters of vessels bound to this port, that they have always a large Stock of CANVAS, EUROPEAN ROPE, TWINE, and other Shipchandlers' Stores, as well as Salt Provisions continually on hand, which they are able to dispose of, at as reasonable rates as they can be purchased at any of the China Ports.

KARUTH HENISSEN & Co.

Manila, June 22, 1866.

NOTICE.

ENDERS are invited for the Supply of STEAM COAL deliverable to the Customs here.

Full particulars can be obtained on application to this Office.

JAMES BROWN,  
Deputy Commer. in Charge.

Office of Maritime Customs,

Canton, 27th December, 1867.

ALEX. BOYER having engaged the

Services of M. MAHE, lately with

Messrs H. MAHE & Co. is prepared to

execute any orders for DRESS MAKING,

MILLINERY, &c.

Hongkong, October 14, 1867.

NOTICE.

THE above Company is now prepared to

LAND or SHIP Cargo in first class

Lighthouses, and to take the entire discharge

of Ships by Contract. Also to STORE

Goods in first class Granite Godowns at

moderate rates.

By order,

W. WILSON,  
Surveyor General.

Hongkong, December 17, 1867.

VIEW OF HONGKONG,

M. R. BAPTISTA begs to inform the Residents of Hongkong that he will be

prepared to receive orders for COLOURING

the undermentioned Store to Yokohama.—

PORT JUICE, 50 boxes.

AMMUNITION about 11 Tons.

MAGAZINE ACCOMMODATION in ad-

dition about 5 Tons.

ALF. H. PRIOR,

Natal & Victoria Storekeeper.

H. M. Naval Yard,

Hongkong, December 18, 1867.

NOTICE.

THE Steamer "PRINCE ALBERT"

and "H.R. JAMES JEEBLE BHOY"

are withdrawn from the Capo-

River as Night Boats until further notice.

Hongkong, November 15, 1867.

HONGKONG Lightering and

Storage Co.

THE above Company is now prepared to

LAND or SHIP Cargo in first class

Lighthouses, and to take the entire discharge

of Ships by Contract. Also to STORE

Goods in first class Granite Godowns at

moderate rates.

By order,

J. S. HOOK, SON & Co.,

Manager.

Hongkong, December 17, 1867.

A Specimen of the Full Coloured Litho-

graph can be seen at this Office.

Hongkong, November 7, 1867.

NOTICE.

THE OFFICE of the Undersigned is

REMOVED to GAGE Street, Corner of

Lyndhurst Terrace.

REYNVAAN BROTHERS & Co.

Hongkong, January 2, 1868.

## Intimations.

BOWRA & Co.,  
AUTOMOBILES, SHIPS, CHANDLERS, SAIL-<